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REPUBLICAN RALLY.

Hon. Wm. T. Haines and Hon. W. B. Skelton Discuss the Political Issues of the Day at Bethel, Thursday, August 29th.

Odeon Hall was filled last Thursday afternoon with an intelligent audience to listen to the political issues of the day as discussed by Hon. W. B. Skelton, Republican candidate for Congress, and Hon. William T. Haines, Republican candidate for Governor. Many had driven in several miles from the country, more than twenty-five having driven fifteen miles, and all showed their interest by giving the closest attention and staying until the last speaker had finished. It was by all odds the best political meeting held here in fifteen years.

E. C. Bowler, chairman of the Town Committee, introduced the speakers.

Mr. Skelton spent most of his time discussing national issues, dwelling on the tariff question to some extent. Mr. Skelton explained that there was no such thing as free trade, stating that whichever party was in power there would be a tariff, and that we should not be led to believe that there would be no duties if the Democrats are put in power; all civilized countries raise a part of their revenue by import duties; we have to do it under either administration. He then explained the difference between a protective tariff which we have under Republican administration and the tariff for revenue only which is favored by the Democrats, saying that a protective tariff undertakes to collect a revenue by assessing duties upon imports in such a manner that goods raised and manufactured in this country may be given a preference in our own markets, while a tariff for revenue only undertakes to raise the same revenue in quantity but to do it in such a manner that it will not give any preference to our own manufacturers, our own farmers, our own products in general.

The speaker affirmed that in 110 years of tariff history we have had 67 years of tariff for revenue only and 43 years of a protective tariff. Under the 67 years of tariff for revenue only, a low tariff, we looked to foreign countries to supply us with necessities to the amount of \$15 million dollars more than we were able to get out of our country, or in other words we were growing poorer, while in the 43 years of protective tariff we were able to manufacture and produce and send to foreign countries over five billion dollars of our products more than we had to get from the foreign markets. It was not 37 years under tariff for revenue only and 63 years of protective tariff, but a few years ago, one and then the other; we had the same fertile soil, the same broad prairies, the same boundless forests and the same marvelous water power in both cases, and yet were obliged to send abroad for many of the necessities instead of being able to send our products to other countries, which shows the condition of things under tariff for revenue only.

In speaking of dealing with the trusts and monopolies he said that the Democrats believe the trusts should be curbed by a reduction of the protective tariff to affect all alike, and stated that this would hit the independent concern first and would soon dispose of all the competitors of the combinations, leaving the field clear for them. In speaking of a remedy, he said his idea would be to deal directly with the individuals and officers who were breaking the laws by restraining trade, and punish them as you would any criminal.

He also called our attention to the fact that the Stanley Investigating Committee which investigated the United States Steel Co. had no remedy to offer, and quoted from the New York Times and New York World, two leading Democratic papers. From the Times as follows: "The trust question has been treated 'like a farce' by that committee, (meaning the Stanley committee) and the New York World commented in this way: 'More reliable than anything else in the absence of the idea of personal guilt—No where do we notice a new line or a new word that need carry a new terror to the heart of the individual wrongdoer.' It would seem by this as though all the Democrats did not

think as highly of this Stanley Committee as did D. J. McGillicuddy, one of the members of that body.

In regard to some of the products manufactured here being sold for less in foreign countries, he stated that this was the surplus product and it had to be disposed of to the best advantage. He showed how this very feature took place under a tariff for revenue only, citing an instance in England where a surplus product was sold for a much less rate in foreign countries than at home.

He affirmed that if a Democratic representative or senator were elected no matter how well he might mean to look after the interests of this State, he would be bound hand and foot by the canons of his own party whose interests are not identical with ours, and quoted Senator Kitchin of North Carolina as saying in April, 1911, "We in the South intend to make the New England Mills come and put their mills there (the South) or else go out of business." He also mentioned the Underwood revision of the cotton schedule in which the rates were sought to be materially reduced on fine goods (made in the North) and retained on coarse goods (made in the South), and stated that he was not in favor of any revision that would force the mills of our State to go South or "go out of business."

Mr. Skelton, saying that as he was listening to the clear cut, accurate statements of the speaker his mind was carried back to the days of Nelson Dingley, and he considered the Republican party fortunate in having a man in the prime of life with the same ability and the same faculty of analysis and also able to impart these facts to others in a clear manner.

In speaking of State issues Mr. Haines said that he had already traveled from Kittery to Fort Kent, that he had been crowded, parks had been filled and never before in thirty years had he seen people so thoroughly awake to questions of government, and good government, as at the present time.

The financial situation was then taken up and he said, in the last campaign the people were fooled by the Democrats, and told how that ingenious and attractive speaker, Mr. Patterson, used to take his watch to his hand and say there was just money enough in the treasury to run the State 35 seconds, and I believe, said he, "that this argument had as much to do with turning the State over to the Democrats in 1910 as any one thing."

He explained how our present financial system was brought about by growth, principally since the 70's, and soon after the Civil war the Republicans decided it was time to do more for the schools, so they assessed a state tax of \$1 on a thousand for that purpose and distributed it in the different towns. In 1893 they needed more aid and made it a half mill more. In 1895 they doubled it and about two thirds the towns received back from the State more money than they had to pay in State taxes. He also mentioned the many improvements made during Perard's administration, the insane hospital, home for feeble minded, provided for the burial of old soldiers and their widows and appropriated \$350,000 to build over the State House. Owing to all these expenses it was necessary to increase the State tax to 5 mills for use in 1910. The State tax of a little less than two millions was available to pay the bills of Perard's administration of \$1,700,000, but this is not explained by the Democrats. In telling how they have reduced the rate of taxation they say nothing of the 5 mill tax of 1911, saying that the people will forget that. Our Democratic friends evidently back on the people not knowing anything, not being able to find out anything.

He referred to the statement Governor Perard was making in regard to having \$170,000 in the treasury that Perard gave to the railroad, saying

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REPUBLICAN RALLY AT RUMFORD.

As Observed By Our Special Correspondent.

A very large and enthusiastic Republican rally was held at Rumford last Thursday evening in the Cheney Opera House, when from four to five hundred people were present to listen to the political facts concerning the State and nation, as presented to them by Hon. Wm. T. Haines and Hon. Wm. B. Skelton.

A big torch light procession, headed by the Rumford band, started from Republican headquarters about 7:30 and paraded the streets of the town previous to the rally, when at 8:15 all adjourned to the hall. Lucien W. Blanchard, chairman of the Republican County Committee, presided, and in a few well chosen words stated that the political enthusiasm of the Republican party was not confined to Rumford alone, but was existing all through the County and State. He said he had had occasion of late to go with the various political aspirants, into almost every town in the county, and that everywhere they had been met not only by the Republican Committees of the respective towns, but by a large following as well, and that there was no question but what on Sept. 9th, when the affairs of this State come to a vote, that Oxford County would roll a Republican majority of over 1000 votes.

He then introduced Wm. T. Haines of Waterville, who began by saying that he realized that he had a great duty imposed upon him, to explain some matters in which all were interested pertaining to the State government. He said, "As I came into Rumford tonight, and thought that it was only 20 years ago that times about where the town of Rumford now flourishes, I realized that this town furnished the best example in the State, if not in the Union, of the wonderful development of a town built up on the principles of American protection, American labor, and American business principles." He continued, "Let us now discuss State government a little, that in which we are all interested. Within the past two weeks I have been from one end of this State to the other, from Kittery to Fort Kent, and I never saw the people so before determined to take hold and have something to do with the State government. It started in the primaries in June. For the past fifty years the policies of the State have been shaped by the Republican party; they have been responsible for what has been done. Suddenly two years ago it was changed, and the fact that in the campaign of two years ago, Mr. Patterson stated that there was money enough in the State Treasury to run the State 35 seconds, and followed this statement with ingenious arguments which the Republican party did not come forward and explain, did a great deal toward causing this change. The Democrats were successful in working that scheme then, and now are trying to work it a second time. The people of this State are a busy class with no time to enter into details, therefore, when only half told truths are brought forward, with facts and figures to back them, it is very easy to create a wrong impression. Let me give you a little information which is properly due the voters to enlighten them on certain state principles of government." He then explained the financial policies of the State of Maine, and of their growth in the past 30 years. He explained the Republican system in aiding the State from the State treasury in regard to the maintenance of the common schools, caring for the paupers, increasing pensions, creating good roads, providing institutions for the sick, crippled, insane and unfortunate through the medium of increasing the direct tax as years went on and had been changed and increased, as such property as railroads, corporations and the like.

He spoke of the Legislature of 1909 as one of the most important legislatures that ever sat, as the records show more important legislation enacted at that time than by any other legislature before for many years. In 1909 a large amount of money was expended, but it was necessary to expend the State House, as well as the

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OXFORD POMONA.

The Oxford Pomona met with the Grange at Oxford Tuesday and a most interesting session was reported. "Observation of a Certain Portion of the State Roads" was the subject of the talk given by J. A. Roberts, treasurer of Oxford Pomona, at the afternoon session. Readings and music and giving the Pomona degree to thirteen candidates made a busy day.

The report of Granges took place in the forenoon; from Hebron Grange 2 present, Paris 11, Norway 18, Oxford 12, Bethel 2, Bear Mountain 7, Franklin 3, West Paris 6, Crooked River 7, Frederick Roble 10. Statistical reports were given by the master or secretary of these Granges, all showing good work laid out for the coming year.

A fine dinner was served by the following members of Oxford Grange: Mrs. S. H. Downing, Mrs. Clara Warren, Mrs. H. O. Blake, Mrs. C. H. Brett, Miss Grace Warren, Miss Ruth Downing, Mrs. Edith Kemp, George Martin, H. O. Blake and Henry Marr. The afternoon session was most enjoyable and all agreed that it was good to be present. The State Roads question as discussed by Mr. Roberts was listened to with interest and the readings and music made the time pass too quickly for those present. The meeting closed to meet next month with Frederick Roble Grange, Otisfield.

money for several other appropriations, that were necessary, which caused the tax to be increased to five mills. The Democrats, Mr. Haines, said had done their best to try and make the people think that there was something wrong with the Federal administration. The speaker said that previous to the Democratic Legislature the appropriations for charities and various departments of the State were talked over, and it was decided what they could afford to give. In the Democratic Legislature they had to cut everything. The Democrats have certainly showed their incapacity for running the affairs of the State.

Mr. Haines declared himself in favor of good roads and of the two million dollar bond issue, and said that if he was elected governor he should see that not a cent was expended in building roads, unless under the supervision of an experienced road builder. At the rate that 650 miles of road had been built in the administration under the present methods, it would take about a hundred million dollars to do everything that was necessary.

Mr. Haines placed himself on record emphatically in favor of an employer's liability act, also of a public service commission. He stated that a public utilities commission would mean millions of dollars to Maine.

Mr. Haines' opinion of the brains of the Democrats in regard to their full treasury, is that such being the case, it will be more of a hindrance than a help in the beginning of a new administration, as everybody having a scheme to carry out will be at the doors of the State House, wanting appropriations to carry out their pet scheme, clamoring earnestly for it, as there is plenty of money with which to do it.

Mr. Haines concluded by stating that if he was elected governor, he should try and arouse the bone and sinew of the State as never before; should try to restore men of progress who could carry the State forward. "The State can help the people," said Mr. Haines, "and it will through its laws, and again I say if I am elected governor, though I shall make no promises to anybody or anything, I shall try as the principal agent of the 742,000 people of Maine, to bring into the service, things that will help men who can help; shall also try to bring in the young men. The Democrats promised to do this. Did they do it? No! Instead they doubled up the offices of the older men. I am almost sure that I can find the right men for the State in the Republican party, but if I can't find them there, I will then look to the Socialists; if not to the Socialists, and if not obtainable there, would you advise me, knowing what you do, to turn to the Democrats? No! Never! I would sooner look to the women.

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WEST PARIS.

Recent guests at William Cookson's have been Hon. Morrill Packard and wife of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Lucinda Small and granddaughter Kathleen of Berlin, N. H.

Miss Ethel Howe was given a variety shower on Wednesday evening of last week in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. Dean Wheeler of Oakland. Miss Howe, who had been invited out to tea with a friend, was happily surprised to find about fifty friends awaiting her arrival. There were many gifts of linen, china, kitchen utensils and other things. The evening was pleasantly passed by singing familiar songs, and music on the piano. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and crackers were served.

Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Wheeler's father, A. F. Williams, were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. Leslie of Andover. They also spent a short time at Rangeley Lake.

Mrs. W. A. Fales and son Howard of West Medway, Mass., Mrs. Mary Farnum Allen of Lawrence, Mass., and Mrs. Irving L. Bowker of Portland have been recent visitors at Rosecoe Tuell's.

Miss Martha Maxim of Cambridge, Mass., and Miss Jane Pierce of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Marshall and daughter Elizabeth of Burlington, Vt., have been guests of Mrs. Elva E. Locke.

Mrs. Geo. F. Cummings of Dorchester, Mass., is visiting her brother, D. H. Fife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Mann have been spending the past week at Bryant's Pond.

Mrs. Frank Ford of Portland is with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Emery.

The Republican Rally held Friday evening was well attended. Hon. A. C. Wheeler of South Paris and Hon. M. A. Johnson of Rockland, spoke ably on the State and National questions. The violin solo by Mr. Tuttle with Miss Welcome of Waltham, accompanied, was highly appreciated.

Peter Murray, the favorite comedian, is billed for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Mr. Murray always has a well filled house.

ENJOYABLE PARTY AT BETHEL.

On Saturday evening, August 31st, one of the prettiest parties of the year was given by the Round Table Club, and its patroness Mrs. O. M. Mason, at her home on Vernon street. The rooms were beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns, autumn flowers and banners of red and white (the club colors), and the crowding decoration was added when at about 7:30 the club members and about fifteen guests appeared in masquerade. The exclamations of admiration, amusement and approval testified to the success of the costumes.

Dancing and games under the direction of Miss Marion Frost occupied the early part of the evening, after which a short musical program was much enjoyed. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. A few cleverly acted charades brought the happy evening to a close. Good nights were mingled with hearty thanks to the hostesses and host with ice for the continued prosperity of the Round Table Club. Special mention should be made of the club song, the words of which were written by Mr. E. T. Park, and presented to the Club in honor of this, its one hundredth meeting.

O, happy maidens are we, of the R. T. C., And nothing our friendship can sever; Though cares may beset, we'll never forget, We'll be true to each other forever.

We gather each week, new knowledge to seek, As well as to add to our pleasure, The wisdom we gain will always remain.

Throughout our whole life a rich treasure, O, golden days so dear, when skies are bright and clear, And every day is full of joy and gladness.

The thought that they may pass and come no more, alas, Fill every heart with sorrow and with sadness.

CHORUS:

The Round Table Club, we always will love, Though land and sea may divide us; The red and the white we'll always keep bright, Whatever through life may betide us.

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—A House 1 week, 25c; 3 weeks 50c.

CANADIAN unleashed hardwood ashes the best fertilizers on earth, car lots bulk, twelve dollars; sacked, thirteen dollars, sixty cents per ton delivered. George Stevens, Peterborough, Ontario, Canada. 5-1-12-1 yr.

FOR SALE—8 room, 1 1/2 story house, barn connected, on High Street in Bethel village. Inquire of H. H. BROWN, Bethel, Maine. 5-23-12.

E. S. KILGORE, CARPENTER AND BUILDER, GENERAL JOBBING. Box 224, Bethel, Me. 5-23-12-p.

LOST OR STRAYED—From my pasture on Howe Hill, a two-year old white spotted black halter. Has been gone since about the 15th of July. Information leading to her recovery will be rewarded. FRANK E. STEVENS, Bethel, Me. 8-1.

FOR SALE—Six bull calves from six weeks to ten months old. If you want a good one we can please you. LAKESIDE HOLSTEIN STOCK FARM, E. J. Hobbs, Prop., Norway Lake, Me. 8-15-12-p.

FOR SALE—One 8 h. p. Old gas-line engine wood sawing outfit, practically new. Inquire of C. L. DAVIS, Bethel, Maine. 8-22-12.

LOST—One brown and white pointer with collar marked, G. M. King. Applicant. Finder will please notify FRED KING, Bethel, Maine. 8-22-12.

FOR SALE. Fine lot of poultry, from small chicks to laying pullets. Also cream separator, cheap. Inquire of A. J. DAIDER, Paradise Hill, Bethel, Maine. 9-1-12 p.

ORGAN FOR SALE. I have an English made organ in first class condition that I will sell very cheap. Inquire of H. M. OSGOOD, Bethel, Maine. 9-1-12.

WANTED. An intelligent girl who is interested in housekeeping and would like permanent position in family of four. Inexperience no objection. MRS. ADDISON E. HERRICK, Bethel, Maine. 9-5.

Nellie L. Brickett, teacher of piano and organ; residence of P. S. Chandler, Main Street, Bethel, Maine. Pupils solicited. 9-5-12.

TO LET—A small lower tenement furnished. No children. Inquire at Citizen Office.

LADIES' CLUB HAVE PLEASANT AFTERNOON. Wednesday afternoon the Ladies' Club met with Mrs. A. P. Copeland. A picnic supper in the grove beyond was planned, but the coolness of the atmosphere made the hospitality of the hostess readily accepted. As the gentlemen began to arrive, part of the party who still wished to picnic in the open air occupied the broad piazza, while others enjoyed the comfort and cheer of the open fire in the pleasant parlors. The affair was a little farewell to Mrs. C. N. Gleason and daughter Mabel, who left for their home in Hallowell, N. H., the following Friday.

The lunch was appetizing, the company merry, and all voted it one of the pleasantest afternoons the Club has enjoyed during the summer.

Consult King if your eyes trouble you. Watches and jewelry repaired right at reasonable prices at King's.

WEAR HUB RUBBERS. The wisest.

THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column
ated to Tired Mothers
as they Join the Home
Circle at Evening Tide.

AS CHILDREN DO.

Sometimes, when night is creeping
down
And the world about is dim,
And he must go to Sleepy town,
You lie down at the side of him,
And whisper soothing little things
In childish words, such as you frame
To tell the sound of hostles wings
And how the firefly gets its flame.

And soon the world grows darker yet
And to the little fellow's eyes
Strange, hidden dangers now beset
The shadowy places in the skies;
But speak low and comforting
And tell him none of them are there,
That near is not anything
But what is kind and good and fair.

Then trembling come his little hands
Out through the dark and find your
face,
As though by touch he understands
That he is in the safest place;
And so with fingers on your cheek
He sighs contentedly to sleep—
And you—you may not even speak
So very, very still you keep.

Some time you, as a little child,
Shall fare into an unknown night,
And shall yearn for the stars that
smiled.

With all their soothing, drowsy light,
And you, as little children do,
May grope out through the darks of
space
And sigh in peace to sleep, when you
At last have touched your Father's
face.

Chicago Post.

KEEP A BRAVE HEART.

Somewhere, said to a woman in my
hearing the other day: "My friend
I am afraid you are getting bitter.
I detect it now and then in what you
say and write. Not much, only
enough to show that some one has
stung the sound fibre of your nature
and left the rattle of its bite." If
you have any spare prayers to offer,
my dear, whoever you are who reads
this paragraph today, get right down
on your knees and implore heaven to
help you from all cynicism and bit-
terness. Try hard to preserve your
faith in the ultimate victory of good
over evil and in the fair shining of
an untrodden sun behind those fly-
ing clouds. When you and I let go
our hold on hope, we join hands with
despair; and despair is a guide that
leads the soul downward. No mat-
ter how hard life may be, how the
storm may beat, or however increas-
ing the grind may be, hold fast to
your faith in the Captain who never
lost a battle yet not even signaled
the trumpets to call retreat. Every-
thing is coming out right in the end.
Nothing can withstand the advance
of an earnest soul. There is not ma-
terial force enough in the universe to
keep it down. Difficulties vanish be-
fore a steady front.—Hans H. Horn.

BELIEVING OUR FRIENDS.

Your friend says to you: "You drop
in any time to dinner; it really is
inconvenience, and we would be de-
lighted to see you." You politely
murmur "Thank you," and may even
remark about the charm of such hospi-
tality. But do you drop into dinner
unexpectedly? Not you. You do not
for an instant believe that an unex-
pected visitor would make no differ-
ence; you are in your heart sceptical of
the very hospitality you call so charm-
ing. In fact, you do not do your friend
the honor of taking her at her word.
It is really rather a pity, because she
is a true and quite sincere. If she

A Traveling Man Cured

P. D. Connerman, a traveling man of
Joplin, Mo., writes: "Twelve years ago
I was a great sufferer from stomach trou-
ble. I tried nearly every
very medicine I could
hear of, and I used
many bottles of
one popular prepara-
tion, but never found
anything that did me
any permanent good
until I took Chamber-
lain's Stomach and
Liver Tablets, which
have effected a perma-
nent cure. It has now
been five years since I
took these tablets, and
I have had no more
stomach trouble dur-
ing that time. I have
recommended Cham-
berlain's Tablets to a
great many sufferers
with stomach trouble,
and traveling sales-
men, and have met many of the boys on
the road that are afflicted with disorders
of the stomach as they have to put up
with all kinds of food cooked at the
different country hotels, which is one
cause of this dreadful disease."

was not sincere then, if you have a
sense of humor, you are perfectly just-
ified in doing what is vulgarly termed
"calling her bluff." In the future she
would not be so free with her invita-
tions which she did not mean if all
her similar invitations had been
promptly accepted and followed up.
How it would simplify society if we
said what we meant and believed that
other people did the same! The girl
who candidly replied when being urged
by an acquaintance who bored her to set
a date when she could come for tea, "I
will never have time to come for tea,"
was doubtless, rude. But she spared
herself many hours of annoyance, and
probably did not hurt the feelings of
her tentative hostess any more than
as if she had said the same thing six
months later and in more veiled lan-
guage.

There is nothing which gives a gen-
uine friend more pleasure than doing
some service for the one she loves.
If you offer to come to a friend who
is in trouble you are pleased beyond
expression if she actually accepts your
offer and your services. You feel that
she believes you. And so it is with
smaller matters. "Let me make the
buttonholes on that waist," offers a
friend. If she really would like to do
the task for you you are responding
in the most flattering way in the world
by letting her do it; if she was only
talking, your taking her at her word
will be an excellent lesson.

Why not believe that our friends
mean what they say? At least until
we have found out that they don't.
How simple it would be—and how
cautious we would learn to become in
our offers and protestations.

Exchange.

FOR THE KITCHEN.

Elasticity is restored to rubber by
soaking it in one part ammonia and
two parts clear water until the desired
results are obtained. This is specially
true in case of rings or other ar-
ticles that have become stiff and brittle.

Keep a piece of sandpaper handy to
the sink where the dishes are washed.
It will prove invaluable. When a
stubborn spot on a burned kettle re-
fuses to move through the aid of a
wire dishcloth, use a piece of sand-
paper. It is an aid in cleaning a gas
stove. Fold a piece over a knife and
you can quickly remove all grease or
dried food that sticks to the corners.
Cut sheets of tin foil and place under
the floor vases and other articles you
will have no trouble with any dampness
affecting the best polished furniture.

Every woman knows the irritation
of finding a favorite waist, petticoat
or corset ready for the laundry just as
she wants it most.
A clever housewife, however, has
thought out a way to launder such an
article of clothing quickly. Wash the
garment and starch as usual, but in-
stead of hanging it out in the open air,
lay flat on a very heavy Turkish
towel.

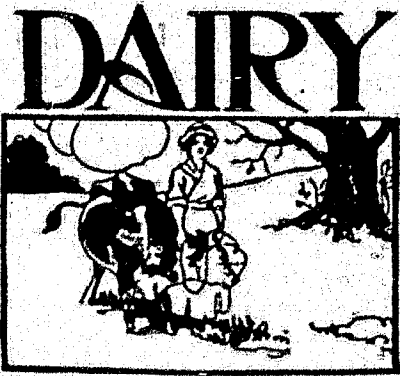
Then, beginning at one end, roll the
towel and garment as tightly as possi-
ble. If laid in a warm place the
towel will have absorbed enough
moisture in a very short time to per-
mit the garment to be ironed.
Before washing any piece of willow
furniture brush it thoroughly, so as to
remove every particle of dust. Other-
wise no amount of washing will get
the furniture clean.

WHY BRUISES BECOME BLACK.

The color of blood is due chiefly to
iron in the little blood-cells. When
the iron is kept in these little blood-
cells, which are living and travelling
around in the blood-vessels, the color
is red. But the skin hard enough to
break some of the little blood-vessels
beneath the surface, and the little
red cells escape from the injured
blood-vessels, wander about for a
while in the tissue, and die. When
they die, the iron that made them red
before, then changes to black and
blue coloring. After a while, this
iron is taken up by the glands called
the lymphatics, and made over again
into new red cells. The iron is then
taken up very much more quickly by
the lymphatics if the black and blue
spot is rubbed and massaged.—Dr.
Nicholas.

TO MOTHERS AND OTHERS.

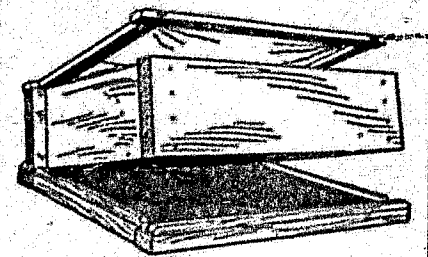
You can use Doan's Kidney & Bladder
cure to cure children of enuresis, rashes, tet-
ter, chaffin, and all other ailments, as
well as their accidental injuries, cuts,
burns, bruises, etc., with perfect
safety. Nothing else heals so quickly.
For boils, ulcers, old running sores or
fever sores or piles it has no equal. 25 cts. at
H. S. Packard of Belfast; Chas. Fer-
nald, Nathan Reynolds of Castine; H.
J. Reynolds of Hallowville; C. A.
Gardner of Dixfield.



BUTTERMILK CHEESE IS NEW

Great Amount of Waste at Creameries
Would Furnish Large Supply of
Palatable Food.

(By J. L. SAMMIS.)
Buttermilk cheese is a new product
obtained by curdling buttermilk with
heat, draining the curd and adding
salt. Large amounts of buttermilk
are wasted every year at creameries.
If this were made into buttermilk
cheese it would furnish a large supply
of palatable food, equal in food value,



Easily Made Drain Rack.

pound for pound, to lean beefsteak
it can be sold profitably at half the
price of meat.

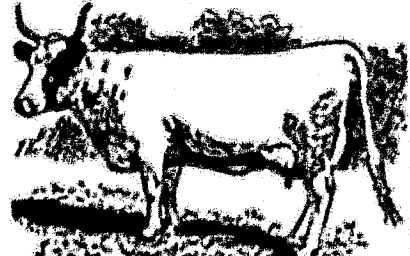
To make buttermilk cheese, the but-
termilk is curdled by heating to 80
degrees, and left undisturbed for an
hour. It is then heated to 130 degrees
and, after standing quiet for about an
hour, the clear whey is drawn off the
curd, and the latter is placed on a
drain rack, which is covered with
cheesecloth. Here it remains half a
day or over night, until as dry as de-
sired, when it is salted with one and
one-half pounds of salt per hundred
pounds of curd, and is ready for use.
Buttermilk cheese can be made from
buttermilk from cream which was
pasteurized before ripening, or the
buttermilk may be pasteurized during
the process of cheesemaking, in either
case insuring the absence of disease
germs.

Where only a few pounds of butter-
milk cheese are made at a time, as on
a farm or for home use, the butter-
milk can be heated in a pail or in a
clean new wash boiler on the stove.
After the second heating, i. e., to 130
degrees, if the curd has settled, the
whey can be mostly poured off by
tilting the pail, and the curd poured
into a small cheesecloth bag to drain.
If the curd is floating, it can be dipped
off the surface of the whey with a
dipper or large spoon and put in the
bag to drain. A small wooden drain-
ing rack a foot square and five or six
inches deep, with the bottom made of
one-fourth of an inch mesh galvane-
zied or tinned iron wire netting and
covered with cheesecloth, is useful for
draining small amounts of buttermilk
cheese.

WHERE AYRSHIRE DOES WELL

Scottish Breed Thrives Exceptionally
Well on Rough Pastures of
Interior Character.

Under conditions where the land is
rough and stony and pasture rather
poor, no breed will give as good re-
turns as the Ayrshire. In her native
home, Scotland, she inherited a



Ayrshire Cow With Big Record.

sturdy constitution and an independ-
ence which enables her to hunt for
a living, but she likewise responds
well to good treatment.

The Ayrshire gives a medium flow
of milk of average richness, especial-
ly adapted for cheesemaking, an ac-
count of its small fat globules, which
retard the creaming process—a fact
which has designated her as the
cheesematerial cow.

She is medium in size, weighing
about 1,000 pounds, and is usually red
and white, or brown and white, the
white predominating. She is a stylish,
alert cow, the backward sweep of the
horns giving her a distinguished ap-
pearance.

Keep Calves Well Bedded.
The stomach of the little calf is
very sensitive and easily ruined. Keep-
ing will do it quicker than nothing.
The animal confined in a wet, dirty
pen. Clean the calf pen often and
bed it with a liberal supply of dry
straw or clean hay. It is no little labor
to keep a calf where several calves run
clean and dry, but there is no other
way if you want to raise good calves.
Eternal vigilance is the price of
everything good in the stock line.

Illness for Cows.
A yield of 13 tons of silage may
easily be obtained from one acre of
corn. Allowing 30 pounds of silage as
a daily ration, one acre of corn will
furnish four cows with silage for 200
days.

CANTON.

The funeral of Mrs. Abbie A. Kid-
der, wife of Philander Kidder of Au-
burn was held at the home of their
granddaughter, Mrs. Leora Berry, of
Hartford, Thursday at 11.30, Rev. E.
A. Davis officiating. Mrs. Kidder pass-
ed away at the home of another grand-
daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Turner of
West Minot, where she had been visit-
ing for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Kid-
der have spent most of their lives in
Canton and Hartford, moving to Au-
burn about two years ago to live with
their only daughter, Mrs. Charles
Thompson. Mrs. Kidder is also sur-
vived by two sisters, Miss Eunice D.
Alley of Hartford and Mrs. C. M. How-
ard of West Minot. She was a mem-
ber of the Canton Baptist church and
has many friends in this vicinity. In-
terment was at St. Hartford.

W. H. Wyman and family have closed
their cottage and returned to their
home in No. Abington, Mass.

Maud Stetson, of Augusta has been
visiting Mrs. Leon Harding and Mrs.
P. O. Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward MacNichol and
child have returned to Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Frank Proctor is visiting in
Auburn.

Ruth, a little three year old daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Chamberlain
of Gilbertville died Monday morning
after a short illness.

The village schools began Monday.
O. M. Richardson and family and
Mrs. Marjorie Howe visited Mr. and
Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll of Winthrop, Sun-
day, making the trip by auto.

Mrs. F. A. Parsons of Riddellville
has been a guest of Mrs. W. L. Rob-
erts.

Harold C. Newman of Portland has
been visiting at the home of W. A.
Lucas and family.

Ruth Moore returned to her home in
Pittsfield, Friday.

Mrs. S. A. Russell of Dixfield and
Mrs. F. E. Rowe of Auburn have been
visiting relatives and friends for a
few days at Canton, where they formerly
resided.

Mrs. Carrie Smith of Augusta is a
guest of relatives in town.

Marguerite Hollis is planning to en-
ter Hebron Academy this fall.
Mrs. Mary Robinson and niece, Miss
May Hadley have been spending a few
days with Mrs. M. Peabody of Dix-
field. Miss Hadley returned to her
home in Boston, Monday.

Miss Abbie Morse of E. Dixfield has
been visiting her nephew, Dr. F. W.
Morse and family.

Mrs. Estelle Gammon of Pasadena,
Cal., and Mrs. Maude Yoder of Los
Angeles, Cal., have been guests at the
home of C. P. Oldham and family. Mrs.
Gammon before marriage was Miss
Estelle Varney, a daughter of John
Varney, who formerly lived on the
old Sparrow place, just over the line
in Hartford. She married William
Gammon of Peru and they moved West
43 years ago, where Mr. Gammon died
a year ago last May. Mrs. Gammon
has not visited her girlhood home for
41 years and her friends are glad to
welcome her back. She will go from
here to Boston, where she will visit
Mr. and Mrs. Dana Gammon, Mrs. E.
N. Carver and Miss Sarah Thompson,
all former residents of Canton.

Chas. Waite of Boston has been a
guest of B. C. Waite and wife.
Mrs. Beatrice Toothaker of Riddell-
ville has been visiting her sister, Mrs.
Chas. Small.

Mrs. J. A. Davis returned Saturday
from a visit in Gorham.

Mrs. B. C. Waite has been on the
sick list.

The fall meeting of New Century
Pomona Grange will be held at the
Canton fair grounds, Thursday, Sept.
12.

Miss Adelle Marston has finished
work for Mrs. C. E. Mendall and is at
work for Mrs. A. H. Ray.

The entertainment Friday evening
given under the auspices of the Uni-
versalist Circle was a great success in
every way and a credit to the commit-
tee. Mrs. Eva B. York, Mrs. Martha
Childs and Mrs. Marion Smith. The
house was filled to the utmost and the
program was of a high order consist-
ing of a farce, "The Modern Herring"
(comic), a fine musical entertainment
followed by "Mists of All Nations,"
all of which was thoroughly enjoyed.
A dance followed.

Miss Margerie Nason of Gardiner
has been a guest at the home of C. F.
Ottum and family.

Mrs. A. S. Hathaway and daughter,
Mrs. Chas. Williams, have been visit-
ing relatives at Auburn and East Dix-
field.

Mrs. J. M. Holland of Dixfield has
been calling on friends at the Point.
Miss Hazel Hutchinson is on the
sick list.

Mrs. Belle Nulty of Rockfield has
been a guest of her daughter, Miss
Anna H. Nulty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Austin and chil-
dren of Portland have been guests of
Mrs. H. A. Eastman and Mrs. W. M.
Marston.

Rev. Asa Bradley, State Sept. conv.

Our Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

Is a success and is still in progress. We have many splendid values.
Please read through the following list of bargains.

Women's Vici Kid Oxfords, Evangeline. \$3.00 grade, now \$1.90.
Women's Russia Calf Oxfords, Fifth Avenue. \$3.00 grade, now \$1.95.
Women's Patent Oxfords, Evangeline. \$3.00 grade, now \$1.90.
Women's Patent Button Oxfords, New Century. \$2.50 grade, now \$1.60.
Women's Calf Oxfords, New Century. \$2.50 grade, now \$1.90.
Women's Calf Button Oxfords, New Century. \$2.50 grade, now \$1.90.
Women's Brown Vici Oxfords, New Century. \$2.50 grade, now \$1.75.
Women's Kid Oxfords, Princess Louise. \$2.00 grade, now \$1.65.
Women's Patent Oxfords, Princess Louise. \$2.00 grade, now \$1.65.
Women's Calf Oxfords, Princess Louise. \$2.00 grade, now \$1.65.
Women's Kid Oxfords, Princess Louise. \$2.00 grade, now \$1.65.
Women's Patent Oxfords, Princess Louise. \$2.00 grade, now \$1.65.

And besides these very rare bargains in Women's Oxfords we still have
a large lot of Boots in both button and blucher which we are selling at these
same low prices.

We also have many pairs of men's shoes, both boots and Oxfords which
we have placed in the sale at bargain prices. Remember these are being sold
rapidly. You BETTER COME NOW while the assortment is large.

E. N. SWETT SHOE CO.,

Opera House Block, NORWAY, MAINE.

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SUNDAY RIVER.

A telephone has been installed in
the home of W. A. Lucas.

Dr. Ralph W. Bicknell will go to
West Sumner to locate as a practicing
physician.

Miss Ethel Hutchinson has been visit-
ing relatives in Carthage.

Mrs. Ida Shaw of Florida has been
a guest of her brothers, A. G. and J.
C. Marston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wadlin have
been guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. D.
Worth of Tenants Harbor.

Waldron Morse entertained a party
of young friends at his home last
Thursday from 2 till 4 in a happy man-
ner. The afternoon was pleasantly
passed playing games, etc., and de-
licious refreshments were served.

The annual Sunday school picnic of
the Baptist church was held Friday at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel
Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Glines will soon
move to the rent of C. F. Oldham after
residing in their present rent for more
than twenty years. Mr. and Mrs. Ab-
bott Russell will move to the rent va-
cated by them.

Mrs. Ella Nickerson of Portland has
been a guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. B. C. Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Childs and Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Briggs and daughter
of Hallowell have been guests of Mr.
and Mrs. J. K. Forlan.

Mrs. W. E. Hutchinson has been visit-
ing relatives at Rumford.

A meeting of the Jersey Breeders'
Association was held at the home of
C. E. Richardson, Friday, with a fair
attendance. Prof. O. E. Simmons of
Orono gave a talk on pastures, which
was very profitable to the farmers
present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gilbert of Riddell-
ville have been guests of W. B. Gil-
bert and family.

A. M. Briggs and family of Liver-
more Falls were visitors in town Mon-
day.

A republican rally was held at the
Opera House, Wednesday evening.
James A. Wright of St. Paul and W.
D. Skelton of Lewiston being the
speakers. Music was furnished by the
Canton Banjo Club.

Miss Hazel Gilbert visited in town
Monday.

Miss Alice Mann of Providence, R.
I., has been a guest of her uncle, P. W.
Dodge and family.

Mrs. Amanda Foster of Winchester,
N. H., is a guest of her daughter, Mrs.
A. S. Becknell.

Mrs. Chas. Grant and daughter,
Caroline, of Wallham, Mass., have
been guests of Mrs. Ellery Diesser and
Mrs. E. L. Fuller.

REPELS ATTACK OF DEATH.

"Five years ago two doctors told me
I had only two years to live." This
startling statement was made by Still-
man Green, Malabarite, Col. "They
told me I would die with consumption.
It was up to me then to try the best
lung medicine and I began to use Dr.
Keg's New Discovery. It was well
died, for today I am working and be-
lieve I owe my life to this great throat
and lung cure that has cheated the
grave of another victim." Its toll to
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and lung troubles now. Take the cure
that's safest. Price 20 cents and
\$1.00. Trial bottle free at
H. B. Packard of Bethel; Chas. Fer-
nald, Nathan Reynolds of Castine; H.
J. Reynolds of Hallowville; C. A.
Gardner of Dixfield.

Call at our stores when you visit
the Oxford County Fair.
Come in, look around, let us show
you.
F. H. NOYES CO.

NORTH RUMFORD.

Miss Lovina Silver of Bowdoinham,
is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ab-
bie Silver.

Carroll Elliott is visiting Portland
and vicinity this week.

The New Mineral Fertilizer Co. are
strengthening the bridges on the high-
way, as they intend to put on some
heavy auto trucks.

Misses Eva Wright, Georgie and
Grace Wheeler, of Somerville, Mass.,
Mrs. Clarence Adams and Miss Anna
Hanson of Portland, who have been
with Mrs. L. Elliott during August
returned to their respective homes
Saturday.

E. A. Richardson is attending the
State Fair.

GRANDMA'S ADVICE.

"Help yourself, help yourself, little
boy, do
Don't wait for others to wait upon
you."

Grandma was holding her afternoon
chat,
Knitting and rocking away as she sat.
"Look at the birds, how they build
their own nests;
Watch the brown bees always toiling
their best.
Put your hands to the plow, if
you'd thrive;
Don't waste your moments in wishing,
but strive."

Up in her face looked a mischievous
elf.
"Don't forget, darling," said she,
"help yourself."

Afternoon shadows grew drowsy and
deep;
Grandma was tranquilly folded in
sleep;
Nothing was heard but the old farm-
house clock,
Flodding along with its warning tick-
tock.

Out from the parlor there came a loud
crash;
Pussy jumped up from the hearth in a
dash.
Back to her chair straddled this practical
boy,
Stripped to the ears in jaco, custard,
and jelly.

Grinning, he cried: "Please, I've upset
the shelf!
Grandma, I minded—I did help my-
self!"

—Harper's Young People.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1912.

REPUBLICAN RALLY.

Continued from page one.

It was not half time. This reference
is made in regard to the release given
to the R. & A., which expired by lim-
ited time in 1911 and to the Democrat and
Washington county roads which the
Maine Central voluntarily surrendered
so that the State, administration
had nothing to do with it whatever.
In referring to the R. & A. will you see
1911, Mr. Haines said, "What have
they done with it? Nothing. They
are going to have a full treasury to
talk about. Do you know why it was
made a bill for 1912? It was made
in 1911 and I shall be governor
then."

The Democrats gave us a great trip
to the poor man and one example was
given in the Democratic legislature ex-
empting the taxes from mortgages; in
one town the tax on money at interest
was reduced from \$2,000 to \$500.

Mr. Haines briefly discussed the
question of good roads stating that he
was in favor of the two million dollar
bond issue, and public utilities com-
mission.

In closing he said, "The Republicans
have done things. They have and can
for fifty years. The Democrats say
you can't, that you can't enforce the
prohibitory law. They can't enforce it
because they don't want to. I am
not making pledges, I am not making
pledges to tell what I can do to any
great extent; I will try, I will use the
word can and not the word can't. If I
am elected as I expect to be on Sept.
9, I will look for men that will say
can." The Democrats have given the
office to men who have been hunting
for offices for 30 years, and said that
he would see his best endeavor to
give the State a progressive adminis-
tration with young men in charge, say-
ing if he could not find them in the
Republican party he would look for
them in the Socialist and Prohibition
parties, but according to the past 15
months' administration of the Demo-
crats, had decided it would be useless
to look for them there. He reminded
us that it was up to the people who
vote in the country districts, by their
ballots to bring about a return of a
system of law and order in the State
of Maine. He stated that it is a fact
that cannot be disputed that there is
a great body of unfortunates in the
State that care little about the well-
fare of the State, who can be easily
persuaded to support those who in-
crease the vice and crime that are
working havoc with our present civil
ization, the distilleries and brewers.
We were reminded that there is
nothing that these agencies can do
that they will not do to carry the
State in the present campaign; that
they have their agents throughout the
State, they are found in various walks
of life, and cited to one instance
where a man employed by the liquor
interests had come into a certain town
and secured employment in a mill for
\$1.50 per day, simply that during the
day there he might be able to utilize
the money of fifty men who were work-
ing with him and then send them
out the Democratic ticket.

OXFORD COUNTY FINANCES.

The general Board of County Com-
missioners have made credit for the
deficit and conservative management
of the County for the past three
years. The following figures from the
annual reports of the County officers
are suggestive:

Dec. 31, 1909, Cash on hand \$1,112.12
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Hood's
Sarsaparilla

Eradicates scrofula and all
other humors, cures all their
effects, makes the blood rich
and abundant, strengthens all
the vital organs. Take it.
Get it in your usual form or
chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

\$5,000 of the outstanding County
bonds, with the incidental saving of
\$200 annually for interest. This, with
the \$250.07 interest received on bank
deposits, which the present board was
the first to demand, make a perma-
nent saving of over \$400 annually.

The retiring member, Hon. Wellington
H. Eastman, first called to the
board by appointment in 1909 to fill
the unexpired term of the late Hon.
Adelbert Delano, is a candidate for re-
election for the full term, and "the
shows record of the County finances
during his incumbency, seems to be
abundant reason for his receiving the
support of the voters of the County."

THEY GET WHAT THEY WANT

Salvation Army Members Always Have
Way of Getting Anything
They Require.

There are few things that the Sal-
vation Army does not require at some
time in its existence, and because it
never hesitates to ask for what it
wants it usually gets it, says the New
York Times. The other night a small
band of Army enthusiasts needed um-
brellas. Hats pulled down with stiff-
ling force, and they refused to break
ranks. A boy with umbrellas to rent
perceived their benighted condition and
rushed up shouting:

"Here are your umbrellas. Only 5
cents apiece till the meeting breaks
up."

None of the Salvationists seemed dis-
posed to gain protection at that price,
so their resourceful leader made an
appeal in their behalf. Addressing the
few bystanders he said:

"If there are any persons in the audi-
ence who had contemplated contribut-
ing a little money to the cause, will
you kindly give it now that we may
rent these umbrellas which our young
friend has offered us?"

"Well, I'll swear," was the some-
what inappropriate comment of one
man on the sidewalk, but he and his
companions contributed a quarter with
which to rent umbrellas for the five
women Salvationists.

Genuine Maple Sugar.

There are few people outside the
maple sugar making districts, says a
writer in the Country Gentleman, who
really know what the genuine article
tastes like. The superior flavor thus
spoken of is probably due in a de-
gree to the same causes that make
strawberries eaten off the vine and
cherries consumed on the tree so de-
lectable. The writer quoted, however,
puts some of the blame for the poor
flavor of commercial maple sugar on
the "wily wholesale dealer and mixer."

NEW AND IMPROVED G. T. R.
SERVICE.

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the shortest and quickest route between
Winnipeg-Edmonton-Alberta via
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ing cars and superb dining car service.
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G. T. R.



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Find out to day

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STATE OF MAINE.

Candidates to be voted for in the Town of Bethel, Oxford County, on September 9, 1912.
Penalty for willfully defacing, tearing down, removing or destroying a Specimen Ballot, five to one hundred dollars fine.

CYRUS W. DAVIS, Secretary of State.

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRAT	SOCIALIST	PROHIBITION
For Governor William T. Holmes of Waterville	For Governor Frederick W. Hjalsted of Augusta	For Governor George Allan England of Woodstock	For Governor William I. Sterling of Waterville
For State Auditor Timothy P. Callahan of Lewiston	For State Auditor Lambert A. Stevens of Wells	For State Auditor Hans J. P. Euenmark of Portland	For State Auditor Lyman M. Harriman of Portland
For Representative to Congress William B. Skelton of Lewiston	For Representative to Congress Daniel J. McGillicuddy of Lewiston	For Representative to Congress Walter R. Barlow of Bath	For Representative to Congress James Lord Howe of Kingfield
For State Senators Albert J. Stearns of Norway	For State Senators J. Everett Smart of Hiram	For State Senators	For State Senators
For County Attorney Frederick B. Dyer of Buckfield	For County Attorney Albert Belliveau of Rumford	For County Attorney	For County Attorney
For Judge of Probate Adriens E. Hensick of Bethel	For Judge of Probate Thomas S. Bridgman of Buckfield	For Judge of Probate	For Judge of Probate Henry D. Irish of Buckfield
For Register of Probate Albert D. Park of Paris	For Register of Probate William A. Lewis of Norway	For Register of Probate	For Register of Probate Charles L. Buck of Paris
For Sheriff J. Melvin Bartlett of Stoneham	For Sheriff William O. Frothingham of Paris	For Sheriff William O. Frothingham of Paris	For Sheriff William H. Tucker of Buckfield
For County Commissioner Wellington H. Eastman of Sumner	For County Commissioner Richmond L. Melcher of Rumford	For County Commissioner	For County Commissioner Enos D. Heald of Buckfield
For County Treasurer George M. Atwood of Paris	For County Treasurer Howard D. Smith of Norway	For County Treasurer	For County Treasurer Elmer O. Millet of Paris
For Representative to Legislature Ernest C. Bowler of Bethel	For Representative to Legislature Fred Lee Edwards of Bethel	For Representative to Legislature	For Representative to Legislature

STATE OF MAINE.

Questions to be voted upon in every voting precinct in Maine, September 9, 1912.
Penalty for willfully defacing, tearing down, removing or destroying a Specimen Ballot, five to one hundred dollars fine.

CYRUS W. DAVIS, Secretary of State.

Question One
REFERENDUM

YES

NO

Those in favor of providing for the use of
uniform Ballot Boxes and for the preservation of
ballots cast at elections, as set forth in this act,
will place a X in the square marked "Yes."

Those opposed will place a X in the square
marked "No."

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF UNIFORM BALLOT BOXES
AND FOR THE PRESERVATION OF BALLOTS CAST AT ELECTIONS."

Question Two
AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

YES

NO

Those in favor of providing for the issuing of
State Bonds for the purposes of building and
maintaining State Highways as proposed in the
following resolution, will place a X in the square
marked "Yes."

Those opposed will place a X in the square
marked "No."

"SHALL THE CONSTITUTION BE AMENDED AS PROPOSED BY A RESO-
LUTION OF THE LEGISLATURE PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUING OF STATE
BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING AND MAINTAINING STATE HIGH-
WAYS?"

Mr. and Mrs. A.
family spent Labor
Services at St. J.
church will be re-
Sept. 7th.

V. A. Binford
days at the Bangor

Mrs. Jack Henr-

Canon on charge of

her case was heard

Carthy Tuesday mor-

three dollars, under

she leave town, un-

conditions the com-

The Ladies' Aid

last church held th-

the season at their

Tuesday afternoon,

the coming year.

Mrs. Harold God-

visiting her parents

H. Atwood.

Miss Hazel Love-

day from Winthrop

Sandy.

The K. of P. of

Hampshire held th-

at Lancaster, N. H.

day of this week at

from Rumford atten-

It is said that ab-

this town attended

Canon on Labor D-

four was under th-

Mr. Nathan Israel

Louise Kidder in

duties at the Rum-

after a week spent

and Portland.

Miss Dora Klein

a few days in Par-

Miss Nathalie D-

the office of James

tax collector.

J. E. Wesley Cla-

ed to the house for

was caused by an

Claude Rolfe and

val were married

the residence of

Miss Emma Davel-

bride acted as m-

Walter Rolfe, a br-

was best man. I-

ing the ceremony

went to the home-

Bouffard, another

where a wedding l-

ed, after which the

for the Lakes wh-

their honeymoon.

employed as clerk

store for some ye-

popular clerk and

Mrs. Rolfe has be-

E. L. Cowan Drug

year and a half,

a cle of friends who

both young people

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RUMFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stearns, and family spent Labor Day at Lovell.

Services at St. Barnabas Episcopal church will be resumed on Sunday, Sept. 7th.

V. A. Blinford is spending a few days at the Rangleys Lakes.

Mrs. Jack Henry was arrested at Canton on charge of intoxication and her case was heard before Judge McCarthy Tuesday morning, who fined her three dollars under the condition that she leave town immediately, which conditions she complied with.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist church held the first meeting of the season at their church parlor on Tuesday afternoon, to make plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Harold Goddard of Malden is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Atwood.

Miss Hazel Lovejoy returned Tuesday from Winthrop where she spent Sunday.

The K. of P. of Maine and New Hampshire held their annual field day at Lancaster, N. H. Sunday and Monday of this week and a large number from Rumford attended.

It is said that about 500 people from this town attended the celebration at Canton on Labor Day. The whole affair was under the management of Mr. Nathan Israelson of Rumford.

Louise Kidder has returned to her duties at the Rumford Falls Trust Co. after a week spent at Peak's Island and Portland.

Miss Dora Klein has been spending a few days in Portland.

Miss Nathalie Davis is working in the office of James McMenamin, the tax collector.

J. E. Wesley Clark has been confined to the house for a few days by illness caused by an ulcerated tooth.

Clairde Rolfe and Miss Georgia Duval were married Tuesday morning at the residence of Father LaFlamme.

Miss Emma Duval, a sister of the bride acted as maid of honor and Walter Rolfe, a brother of the groom, was best man. Immediately following the ceremony the young couple went to the home of Mrs. August Bonifant, another sister of the bride, where a wedding breakfast was served, after which the young couple left for the Lakes where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mr. Rolfe has been employed as clerk in the Israelson store for some years, and is a very popular clerk and has many friends.

Mrs. Rolfe has been employed in the E. L. Cowan Drug store for the past year and a half, and has a large circle of friends who unite in wishing both young people happiness in their new life.

Col. Horatio Bisbee and wife visited in town last week, the guests of Hon. Geo. D. Babes and wife of Franklin Street.

Rev. Harold Hanson took a crowd of boys belonging to the Sunday school on a camping trip to Worthy Pond for several days of last week, where he, together with Mrs. Hanson, gave them an unusually jolly time.

Ess Carrier returned last week from a vacation of two weeks spent in Providence, R. I.

Under the Post Office appropriation act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, the Post Office at Rumford will be closed on Sundays commencing Sept. 1, 1912. Regular collection will be made and dispatched by Sunday P. M. train as usual.

Chief of Police Cobb and family are spending their vacation at their camp at Rangleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Booney of Turner are the guests of Eliza Pratt and wife of Franklin Street.

Herbert J. Chase, for four years superintendent of the public schools of Rumford, has been elected to the position of superintendent of schools at Gardiner, Me. He will have full charge of the schools there and also at Farmington, and will begin his duties at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Israelson of Livermore Falls are the guests of Mrs. Charles Israelson of Pine St.

Mrs. E. M. McCarthy was the guest of her sister in Brunswick last week. Mrs. P. E. Meehan of the South road, and daughter, Miss Mollie of Lewiston, are making an extended visit in Bangor, Bar Harbor and Revere Beach, Mass.

Mrs. Emma McDonald of Portland is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. Peter McElellan of Congress St. has just purchased a fine piano at Rolfe & Hanson.

Mrs. Orris A. Davis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lyman J. Kempton, of Rangleys.

The Misses Felora Langsler and Lucy Deschamps are visiting O. L. Vasseur and family.

S. D. Rounds of Reading, Mass., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Howard F. Harris of Knox St.

Mrs. G. A. Peabody and family are on a two weeks' camping trip to Worthy Pond.

Mrs. J. M. Graves and daughter, Daphne, left on Sunday for Boston, where they will visit Mr. Graves.

Miss Eleanor Hawley has been entertaining Miss Moore of Farmington.

Mrs. J. P. Estman of Boston is the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. F. Demmons, of Hancock St.

Earl E. Richardson left last week for Mt. Vernon, where he will resume his studies.

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THE ELIOT INTERVIEW.

Dr. Charles William Eliot, wasted words when he remarked to an interviewer at Bar Harbor that he was old-fashioned, for the fact was made patent by his statements:

Women have no proper share in a political convention.

Men ought to be able to regulate their own policies to meet all needs without direct assistance from their wives and daughters.

These views are out of date in six states and are passing in other states. The president emeritus of Harvard spoke better when he turned from the suffrage question to discuss the general condition of the Union and declared that the country was too big and too prosperous to go to the dogs.

That's the way to talk! We congratulate Dr. Eliot upon his salutary optimism.—Boston Globe.

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Mrs. John Hewey and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Annie Coolidge at Dixfield this week.

Ellis Glen Assembly of Pythian Sisters are preparing work for a Convention of their order to be held in town this month.

Rev. Malcolm McKay of Fitchburg preached an interesting sermon in the Congregational church, Sunday morning from the text, James 3-17.

Walter Hanson, wife and grandchildren of Fern were visiting friends in town last week.

Rev. James Holden, who has supplied the Universalist pulpit for two months, preached his farewell sermon Sunday morning. At the close the sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed.

Mr. and Mrs. Holden returned to their home in Roxbury, Mass., this week.

Winnie Learned is teaching in Roxbury, her school beginning Tuesday, Sept. 5.

Hon. A. S. Kimball of Norway addressed the people in an able manner on the political issues of the day, Monday evening at the Congregational church. R. L. Melcher, Bert Goodwin and Joe Hall were present from Rumford.

E. A. Thurston and wife were guests of Roger Thurston and wife Sunday, Sept. 1.

Miss Miserva French from Rumford is the guest of her grandparents, J. A. French and wife.

Miss Lottie Howard returning to the Gorham Normal schools Monday, Sept. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. David Callahan and children returned to their home in Boston last week. Mrs. Callahan and children have spent the summer with Sidney Abbott and wife.

Prof. Boles of Tufts College will preach in the Universalist church Sunday, Sept. 8.

Chas. Hopley and friends spent a few days at their camp at Richardson Pond recently.

Wade Thurston and wife, Daniel Heywood and wife and M. L. Thurston were in town Sunday from Bethel.

The schools in town will begin Monday, Sept. 10 with the following teachers:—High School; High School; Asst. Mrs. Maggie Stuart; Grammar, Mattie Hall; Primary, Annie Akers; South Andover, Geneva Rogers; East Andover, Mrs. Hazel Frost; No. 4, Florence Akers.

Mrs. Helen Brown and family returned to their home in Boston last week. Mrs. Brown and family have spent the summer at their camp at Richardson Pond.

Mrs. N. P. Swan of East Bethel, Mr. C. Swan and Herman Cole of Washington, D. C., and Miss Alice Brown of Locke's Mills were guests at John Swan's wedding and party.

CLINKER'S BAD RECORD

WHY QUIGWAY REFUSED TO HELP HIS ELECTION.

Declare Candidate Entirely Lacking in Moral Character and Prove It by the Episode of the Cow.

"Quigway," said Weatherwax, "we want to elect Clinker alderman from this ward. He's the finest kind of a man, stands strong for the uplift and all that sort of thing, but he always has refused to have anything to do with politics. However, we need him and the matter is placed before him in the right way he'll consent to run. A committee of leading citizens of the ward will call on him this evening and we want you to go along and help us persuade him to make the race."

"Well, you can count me out," replied Quigway. "I haven't any use for Clinker, and I think our institutions have come to a Dickens of a pass when such a man is even suggested for public office. Clinker is entirely lacking in moral character, and it will be an evil day for the people when he goes into office."

"You're talking through your turban, Quigway. Why Clinker has a spotless record. You can't find a flaw in it anywhere."

"Well, that shows all you know, and if you elect Clinker I'll move out of this ward and stay out. I couldn't sleep at night if that man was in office."

"Two years ago I was looking around for a good, respectable family cow, the kind you read about in Sun-School books. I didn't know anything about cows, except that they gave milk under proper conditions, and we wanted real milk in our house. Clinker heard that I was in the market for a cow, and he came over to my place and told me he had the very animal I wanted. I had the utmost faith in him at that time, and placed myself entirely in his hands. I told him candidly that I didn't know a cow from a canal boat, so far as practical information went, and asked him, as man to man, to give me a square deal."

"He placed his hand on his heart and swore by his grandmother's nuptial grater that the cow he was offering for sale was perfectly refined and ladylike, and that she gave an abundance of real milk. So I took him at his word, Weatherwax, and counted out 50 large, gun metal dollars, which represented the savings of months. He brought the cow over and tied her in my shed, and in the evening I went forth with a beautiful new tin bucket and sat down to milk her. The next thing I knew I was standing on my shoulders, and that handsome new tin bucket was flattened against the roof of the shed."

"I never saw a cow so ambidextrous with her hind legs—and Clinker said she was so tame the children could play with her!"

"I went over to his place, my blood boiling with indignation, and he went back home with me and surveyed the scene of the uprising, and had the nerve to say that the cow kicked because I sat at her left side instead of her right side, when I began to milk. As though a cow cared for such technicalities! That's the sort of a man Clinker is. He's a son of a lawyer, who would rather argue far-fetched points than be just and fair. I wanted him to take the cow back, but he wouldn't do it. The cow was just as he represented her, he said, and the fault was all mine. That's the way he'll conduct himself if he breaks into the council. He'll say the fault is with the people who elected him, if anything goes wrong."

"A week after I bought that cow she quit giving milk altogether. She didn't give any more milk than a lumber wagon, and Clinker had assured me that she would keep the family supplied for a year. I went to him and read the riot act, and he asked a lot of foolish questions and then took refuge in technicalities again. He said the cow went dry because I milked her at all hours of the day. Did you ever hear anything like that? There wasn't a clock in the barn and the cow didn't carry a chronometer, and it made no difference to her when I milked her. And that's the kind of a man you want to elect as alderman!"

"When you place the destinies of this town in the hands of men of that character it is time for good citizens to hike for the tall timber."—Chicago News.

"The Housekeeping Money. Two servitors working on a job some distance away from their homes had been paid, and were strolling down the main street of the village in which they were lodging. Passing the post office, a thought struck one of them, and he darted inside, to return with a sixpenny postal order in his hand."

"What," said the other, in some surprise, "do you go in for competitions, Bill?"

"Competition?" queried Bill. "What do you mean?"

"Why, missing words, and that sort of thing," was the reply.

"Missing words be blowed!" said Bill indignantly. "Can't a fellow send a bit of money home to his wife?"—London Tit-Bits.

The Prefect. Governor Dix, apropos of the milk bill that he recently vetoed, said at a dinner party in Albany:

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CAREFUL MANAGEMENT NEEDED IN BREEDING COWS FOR DAIRY

Animals That Produce Pound of Butter and Cheese the Cheapest Are the Ones to Keep—One Reason Why So Many Herds Do Not Return Profit From Their Food and Cost of Attendance.



A Prize Winning Jersey Heifer.

(By W. M. KELLY.)

There is no phase of the dairy business that needs more study or more careful management than does the breeding of the cow.

Upon the cow depends success or failure and we must, after selecting her, look to her care and her feed, and to the handling of her products. The fact that dairymen have devoted more attention to other phases of their dairying than to the breeding and development of the cow is one of the reasons why so many of our dairy herds are not capable of returning a profit from their food and cost of attendance.

We are often asked which is the best breed of dairy cattle to select for the dairy? To such men I would say that there is no best breed. Some think because they have Jerseys they are on the royal road to success. Others think that the Holsteins will bring prosperity to the farm.

This is a common mistake, for scrubs are very common among the pure-breeds, and a pure-bred scrub is without doubt the worst scrub of all. Select cows having individual excellence as determined by the Babcock test and scales in starting a herd. Better and more uniform results of breeding may be secured if the animals are of one type of breed and great care should be exercised in getting individuals which possess to a certain degree the characteristics we desire to perpetuate in the herd.

What we dairymen want is a herd of cows that will give a profit at the pail, whether pure-breeds or grades. The ones that will produce a pound of butter or cheese the cheapest are the ones that we want to keep in our herds.

We have a number of improved breeds of dairy cows that represent the skill of years in their perfection, but in adopting any of these breeds we should consider the conditions and environment under which they have been developed in their original homes and then plan to make our care and feed and general management conform to the conditions under which the breed had been developed.

If a man has Jerseys, give them late of Jersey care and feed for they cannot succeed on scrub fare and fodder. They were not intended for that purpose.

The Jersey cow is a delicate, nervous machine and requires warmth, kindness and liberal feeding to make her profitable.

If Holsteins are selected do not expect to have them closely cropped, stony pastures where they are compelled to rustle all day to gather sufficient food.

Give them the care they were developed under, large amounts of succulent forage and well cured hay, warm stables and kind treatment. You may get pure-breeds if you can afford them, but all farmers are not able to buy pure-breeds. However, always use a pure-bred sire.

The breeding bull always represents half the value of the breeding power of the herd if it is desired to grow calves for the dairy.

Select them from some of the well-known families of the breed and be sure that he possesses prepotency which gives promise of being a good calfgetter. A bull of this kind will give you excellent results in improving the herd. Some of the best herds in the country are high grades that have resulted from the continued use of good sires.

In order to be successful as breeders we must learn some of the lessons associated with our stock; have an ideal type in our minds and always in our selection and mating be seeking to improve the type and standard in our herd.

The best special purpose animal is none too good. Never strive to produce a general purpose animal by mating best and dairy breeds. Aim to produce the animal whose special characteristics is the cheap production of a pound of butter or a gallon of milk.

Always seek to have the crosses in harmony. Do not mate extremes. Vigor and constitution are two essentials. Unless a cow possesses vigor in

NIGHT LIFE ON BROADWAY

What Happened to Young Girl Who Did Not Know Dangers Hidden in Wine Cup.

She was just a little girl—37 years old, perhaps—sitting at a table in one of New York's all night restaurants behind her cabaret. Singers brayed through their song. A squad of lively violins shrieked and whined. Now and then the dancers twisted and writhed their way through the narrow aisles and the men and women at the tables sat up a little straighter and bought more wine. Outside rain was falling drearily.

Within all was warmth and animation and clamor. The little girl was unused to it, perhaps. Her skin still bore the clear tint of youth and perfect health. Her cheeks had not lost that curve which persists until maturity is reached. Her eyes were big and round, and she watched the scene with far more of interest than she gave to her table mates. Now and then the thick-lipped man with her do-manded her attention, and she gave him a perfunctory glance and smile. She drank her wine with an avidity which betokened inexperience. The other women at her table sipped their wine carefully. They knew its dangers.

Suddenly, without a word, the little girl fell from her chair to the floor. She fell heavily, inertly, as a log might fall. The hard-faced waiters rushed to carry her into a dressing room. The party at her own table ordered more wine and talked louder.

Those who sat near forgot the incident, until, ten, perhaps fifteen, minutes had passed. Then they saw the child her eyes closed with drink, barely able to stand upon her feet, her hair awry, her coat flaring open above her tawdry little bodice, with its deeply scored V at the neck, being led down the aisle, a waiter on either side. The door was opened and she was thrown out upon the street. Before the double leaves of the door closed those sitting within caught a fleeting glimpse of the long gray shafts of rain, slanting downward under the glare of arc lights, hissing into the puddles gathered on the gleaming cobble.

Real High Jumpers in Africa.

The sensation caused by George Horine, the Stanford university student, who has been smashing high jumping records, calls to mind the high jumping done recently by the duke of Mecklenburg during a trip through the German East African protectorate. An account of it is given in the Geographic Magazine. The jumpers were of the Watussi tribe "a tall, well-made people, with an almost ideal physique" their stature ranging from "five feet eleven and a half inches" to seven feet two and a half inches. "The exactness of the figure indicates that the duke did not depend on guesswork in his measurements. In any case, the Watussi can jump in proportion to their height—the best performer cleared eight feet and five inches. Even the Watussi 'kids' got over the bar at a height of five feet. The conditions are thus described by the duke: 'A line which could be raised or lowered at will was stretched between two slender trees standing on an incline. The athletes had to run up to this and jump from a small terrace about a foot in height.' But the terrace heaped the rub a foot off the record, that means. Bill the German ought to send post cards to the Watussi country for a couple of high jumpers and include them in their Olympic team.

China a Market for Jellyfish.

A very profitable industry in Choos on a new line has been suggested by the authorities of the fishery sector of the government general. It is the fishing for jellyfish, so abundantly found in the seas of West China. While the sea offers much obstruction to the fishing industry in general as its presence in large numbers often makes the use of nets impossible and sometimes compels fishermen to abandon their work, the fish itself will bring in a large amount of money if caught, properly prepared and exported to China for cooking purposes. China is a vast market for it, for it is there that salted jellyfish is considered a great delicacy and one of the indispensable foodstuffs, especially in summer.

There is a great demand for it every year from Shanghai, Ningpo, Hong Kong and Canton. In Whanghai port two great numbers of them are often seen drifted ashore after a storm, and as many of them as one wishes can be gathered gratis. Unemployed Chinese may be hired at low wages as gatherers or workmen in preparing the jellyfish for salting.—Scout Press.

Plays for the Guitar.

The London Pall Mall Gazette urges the cultivation of the guitar. "The guitar has always been typical of the most popular spirit, and its revival might herald a return to the gentle clarity of earlier times." The writer insists that the guitar is more suitable than the piano for accompaniment to the voice: it can be played indoors or in the open air with equally good effect "and on the river the harp-like quality of its tone is simply entrancing." Furthermore, a large variety of compositions, grave and gay, romantic and classical, are suited to its strings. As an accompanying instrument it is exceptional in its ease of play.

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Title—Harris bought his wife a machine. Title—Trotting, talking, sewing or washing—Judas.

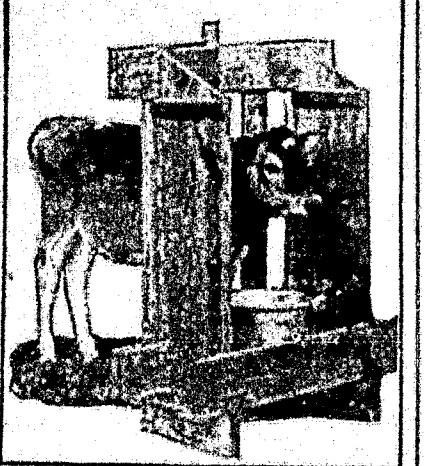
RAISING HIGH-GRADE CALVES

Feed Little Animals Whole Milk for First Three Weeks—Do Not Forget Supply of Salt.

To teach a calf to drink, let it get quite hungry first, insert two fingers into its mouth and lower its head into the pail. Calf feeders can be bought and are liked by some. It will help matters at first to raise the bucket or pan to the calf, if possible. Never feed in wooden pails, says the Farm Dairying. They soon sour. Always wash and scald the pails at least once a day. It takes less time than to bother with sick calves.

As a rule it is best to feed the calves whole milk for the first three weeks, hardly strong calves would stand the change to whole milk at two weeks. At first give it from six to eight pounds (two and one-half to three and one-half quarts), according to the size of the calf, twice daily. At the end of three weeks it should get from eight to ten pounds. The calf should always get the colostrum (first milk), which is very laxative and intended by nature to cleanse the bowels of the calf.

A calf at three months old should not get over eight quarts of milk per day; at four months it cannot make use of more than ten quarts. With this it should have two quarts of mixed crushed grain per day, and all the hay it can eat. At six months old the milk allowance may be dropped out, or before that time if the milk is scarce. Weaning the calf from milk should be slowly done by substituting water gradually. Calves should have fresh, clean water to drink from babyhood to maturity. Do not forget the supply of salt for the calves. Occasionally put a lump of fresh salt in the pen. The calves seem to enjoy a taste of earth. When making the changes from whole milk, one tablespoonful of oilcake may be added to the milk, if flaxseed is used, and there is nothing better, it should be well



Excellent Calf Stallion.

bolled and from a half cupful to a cupful of the jelly added to the warm milk.

To make the jelly take one pint of whole flaxseed to four quarts of water, add a little salt; soak overnight and boil for one hour next morning.

Allowing Tomato to Run.

It is best to allow late tomato vines to lie on the ground and spread at will, claims one raiser. Each plant thus allowed freedom to vine will cover many square feet of soil, but it will bear more fruit of better flavor than tomato vines trained to stakes. The branches of the vines on the ground take root at many points for supplying greater amount of nourishment. The greater amount of foliage a tomato plant bears, the more fruit it is able to produce. Tomatoes ripening in the shade of foliage are of a good color and flavor as those ripening in the sun.

Use of Sprayer Best.

The piling of manure in small lots as it is hauled away may have some points in its favor, but from the standpoint of realizing the largest possible good from the fertilizing elements contained it is plainly a poorer method than scattering from the spreader. Handled in this way, the soluble portion of the fertilizer that the manure contains can be put into the soil, while if the manure is put in piles there is a loss by chemical changes and the escape of gases.

DAIRY NOTES

The dairy cow is the farmer's best insurance against hard times.

The cow that is offered for sale is seldom the cow you want to buy.

Feed some ground corn, but do not make it the sole concentrated ration.

Oats, wheat, bran, oil meal and alfalfa should supplement the clover hay.

Warm skim milk for feeding purposes soon pays the cost of a farm separator.

Good pasturage for the calves means a saving of milk, finer calves, and greater dairy profits.

The best dairymen is clean not because he has to be but because it is second nature for him to be.

Farm fertilizers are valuable and important, but the dairy cow should not be kept for fertilizer alone.

Where a farmer is starting on a new farm where there are only a few acres broken nothing pays better than cows and good logs.

Intelligent breeding and care the majority of the dairy herds could be made to double their present productive capacity.

Too often the dairy, poultry and hog work are side lines on the farm. Make them the main line and they will tend you to profit.

SWIMMING THE CHANNEL.

Portland people are considerably interested in the announcement that Miss Rose Pitonof, of Boston, will make an attempt to swim the English Channel the latter part of this month.

Miss Pitonof has appeared at local theaters and has also given swimming exhibitions in the harbor so we naturally feel a friendly as well as patriotic interest in the feat she is about to undertake. The narrowest part of the channel is about 20 miles wide, while the widest is more than 100. It is that portion of the Atlantic Ocean which separates Great Britain from France and it has proved the Waterloo of many a strong swimmer. The feat has been accomplished but never by a woman, and should Miss Pitonof succeed it goes without saying that her fortune is made.

Professor G. R. Lee, of the Portland Athletic Club, believes that if any female swimmer living can turn the trick it is the Boston girl. He points out that in a struggle of this sort it is the qualities of endurance that count. In this respect Miss Pitonof is exceptionally fortunate. She has youth, strength, courage, and, above all, plenty of adipose tissue. In her swim she will probably lose 15 pounds and this she can do without materially affecting her purposes. She is plump, splendidly developed; in brief, so well supplied with this necessary adipose tissue that floating in the water is involuntary on her part. It is absolutely no effort for her to float in the water and all her strength can be used for propelling purposes.

For a short sprint it may be all right for a swimmer to train down fine, but in a contest of endurance there must be plenty of this adipose tissue. There was a time when six-day pedestrians were sent on the track trained to the minute. As a result after the first two or three days' grind and the resultant loss of flesh there was no reserve tissue to draw upon and the contestants frequently had to drop out or finished in terrible condition. More modern methods are to have the pedestrian do just enough preliminary work to harden the muscles and let him do his real training and flesh losing in the actual contest.

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Sept. 5-10.

THE NAIL ON THE HEAD.

"When you're building a boat or nail a box."
"My daddy has frequently said."
"Don't wobble your hammer on the box."
"But hit the nail on the head."
"Don't look all around to see what is new."
"Tend strictly to business, instead; Keep your eye on the nail, if you don't want to fail."
"And hit it right plunk on the head."

IF YOU'RE STARTING IN LIFE UPON A NEW JOB.

And have a stiff pathway to least Don't flounder around and say that you can't.
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"If you think this letter will contribute anything towards further introducing your medicines to afflicted women who are passing through this trying period, it is with great pleasure I consent to its publication."—Mrs. JULIA A. MOORE, 17 East St., Asheville, N.C.

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"I am only too glad to testify to the good qualities of Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Miss Nora G. Hagerly, of Lincoln, Neb. "I had been suffering for some time with chronic constipation, stomach trouble and a terrible misery after eating, when I was taken sick with abscess of the bowels. We had some of the best doctors in Lincoln in attendance, and they all said I would have to be operated on right away. I had heard of Chamberlain's Tablets, and we got a bottle of them. I began to take them and in three days I was able to be up and got better right along. I am the happiest girl in Lincoln to find such a good medicine as these tablets are. I can hardly believe myself that I am strong and healthy now. They saved me from a serious surgical operation."

GRAND TRUNK Current Time Table. Effective June 23, 1912.

EAST BOUND.				
Stations.	No. 4 Daily	No. 6 Ex. Sun.	No. 2 Daily	
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	
Berlin, leave,	3:41	3:41	2:43	
Gorham,	3:55	3:57	2:56	
West Bethel,	4:07	4:07	3:08	
BETHEL,	4:37	4:37	3:38	
Locke's Mills,			3:49	
Bryant's Pond,	4:55	4:55	3:47	
South Paris,	5:05	5:05	3:54	
Lewiston, arrive	5:20	5:20	4:05	
Portland,	5:20	5:20	4:05	
WEST BOUND.				
Stations.	No. 3 Daily	No. 5 Ex. Sun.	No. 1 Daily	
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Portland, leave,	2:55	1:30	8:30	
Lewiston,	3:45	2:20	9:05	
South Paris,	4:45	3:25	9:57	
Bryant's Pond,	5:05	4:10	10:41	
Locke's Mills,	5:20	4:20	10:54	
BETHEL,	5:35	4:35	11:14	
West Bethel,	5:45	4:45	11:13	
Gorham,	5:55	4:55	11:54	
Berlin,	6:05	5:05	12:07	

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MAINE CENTRAL TIME TABLE

In effect June 24, 1912.

Trains Leave Rumford Falls
6:30 a. m., 8:25 a. m., 2:25 p. m.,
and on Sundays at 6:10 a. m., 4:30 p. m.,
for Lewiston, Portland and Bangor.

Trains Arrive Rumford Falls
8:15 a. m., 2:15 p. m., and on Sundays at 4:45 p. m. from Bangor.

South Bangor and Denia.
10:45 a. m., 4:10 p. m., 7:35 p. m.
from Boston, Portland, Lewiston, Bangor, and Portland and Denia.

Trains Leave Portland and Bangor
8:15 a. m., 2:15 p. m., and on Sundays at 4:45 p. m. from Bangor.

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The Special Automobile Registration tax will capitalize, pay interest on, and retire the entire issue.
The bond issue is business, not politics.
Do your part to place Maine among the progressive states next Monday.

VOTE YES!!

REPUBLICAN RALLY AT RUMFORD.

Continued from page one.
and asked the attention of the audience to a discussion of one of the National issues from a standpoint which met with his own views, namely the protective tariff. "The tariff," said he, "has been made the principal issue in the campaign." He explained the Republican attitude favoring a protective tariff, against the Democratic idea of tariff for revenue only. "There will be tariff whether a Republican or a Democratic administration," said Mr. Skelton, "but it is for the people to decide which kind of a tariff it shall be." He then gave comparisons of the workings of the two systems. Mr. Skelton defined the position of the two parties on the tariff and declared it a subject not well understood, but explained the necessity of the tariff in order to provide successful revenue.
The Republicans believe that while we are imposing tariff duties, we should do them so that it will give a preference to American industries. The Democrats would collect the same revenue, but from such sources, that no

preference would be given our industries over foreign. The speaker then took up the different methods of dealing with trusts and monopolies, after which, turning to a newspaper report of McGillicuddy's speech in Rumford, said, "Mr. McGillicuddy professes to be very anxious to know how I stand in the National issue involved in this campaign. I am going to tell him. I stand for such a tariff as will procure the revenue necessary for government expenses, and at the same time afford such protection as shall effect the difference in the cost of production here in Rumford and abroad. I would make it possible to keep American wages on a plane that invites the laborers of other countries to come here and become American citizens. The Democratic platform would not. I would give the American farmer the preference in our own country. The Democratic platform would not. I would make the tariff, in any event absolutely necessary and to be had, a protective one. The Democratic platform would not. I would encourage foreign capital. The Democratic platform would not. That is brief is my position on the great question at issue in this campaign."

From National issues Mr. Skelton touched upon the State finances, and attacked the Democratic idea of economy. He said, "These great claims of the Democrats of a saving in expenditures, looked dazzling at first, but when you come to investigate, they do not look so entrancing."
Mr. Skelton closed with an explanation of the alleged saving of the Democrats by discontinuing the rebate to the B. & A. R. R. The 20 year contract expired by limitation in 1910, before Mr. Planted came into office, and that was the part of the story that Mr. Planted in his little recital, forgot to make known to the public.
Mr. Skelton was heartily applauded at the conclusion of his speech.

THE TEXAS CATTLE KING.

"The Texas Cattle King" a western comedy drama with scenes laid in Texas will be the attraction at the Hotel Opera House on Thursday, Sept. 6th. This attraction has been in Mexico all summer and has played to big houses and has pleased its audiences everywhere. A Cowboy Band which makes a parade at noon and gives a concert before the performance is a novel feature.

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BARRETT-GOULD.

Edgar S. Barrett of East Sumner and Miss Nellie L. Gould of Greene were married, Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert, North Greene. Rev. H. H. Hoyt of East Hiram, formerly superintendent of the Universalist churches of Maine, officiated.

Mrs. George Borthwick of Lewiston was bridesmaid, and Ralph Barrett, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Following the ceremony, in which the single ring service was used, an informal reception was held. Those present were Mrs. Emma Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fogg, of Sumner, Gibson Benson, of New Gloucester, Mr. and Mrs. George Borthwick, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gordon, of Lewiston, Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Alwood, of Buckfield, including the immediate families.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clarence Gilbert. She is a graduate of the Lewiston High school and of Bliss Business College, after which she was employed at T. A. Huston's for some time as a bookkeeper. She has taught school in Leeds, Sumner and Greene.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the Paris High school. Owing to the illness and death of his father he gave up his college course. He is a successful and prosperous farmer in East Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett are now enjoying a honeymoon trip to Boston and New York. They will be at home after Sept. 15 at East Sumner.

WANTED—A BOY.

Wanted—a boy. A brave, courageous, manly, hopeful boy, one who is not afraid of the truth; one who is not a liar; one who hates deceit; one who loves his mother; one who does not know more than his pockets; one who has the courage to say "no," and stick to it; one that is willing to begin at the bottom of the ladder and work upwards; one who thinks an education is worth striving for; one who is willing to obey his superiors; one who knows his home is better than the street; one who doesn't believe the marvelous tales told in the story papers, and will not read the stuff; one who won't cheat in a fair game, and won't be a sneak, and do a mean act when unseen; one who won't spend every penny he earns or gets; one who thinks he should respect himself, and keep himself in decent appearance; one who won't attack an old man because he is feeble and defenseless; one who won't torture dumb animals; one who won't steal; one who won't swear; one who won't listen to or repeat nasty stories; one who won't revile and jeer at drunken persons on the street; one who won't do a dirty act for another boy who is too cowardly to do his own meanness; one who loves to do right because it is right. Wanted—a boy; a whole-souled, earnest, honorable, square boy. Where can he be found? Does he live in your neighborhood? Is he a member of your family? Do you know him? Exchange.

AND THEN THE BOY RAN.

The little boy was carrying home the empty bowl that had contained his father's dinner when a big bully appeared.

"Do you mind if I kick that bowl?" inquired the bully.
"Not a bit," said the small boy.
"You mean that? Do you mind if I kick the bowl?"
"Not a bit."
"For the last time. Do you mind if I kick the bowl?"
"No, I should like you to."
"Oh, would you? Then watch me!" exclaimed the bully as he shattered the bowl to atoms.
"Do you mind now?"
"Not a bit," replied the small boy, edging away. "My mother borrowed the bowl from your mother this morning. You'll hear about it when you get home!"

ONSET OF ENVOY.

A deep sigh of sorrow broke from the lips of little Freddie.
"I wish," he said glumly, "that I was Billy Smith!"
His mother was sitting at a school. "Why Freddie?" she asked. "Why do you wish you were Billy Smith?"
"He doesn't get any pocket money, and he isn't as big as you, and he's not nearly so strong. His father never buys him presents, either."
"Yes, I know all about that," said Freddie. "But—"
"And then look what a nice home you have, and nice books, and you never have to go out when it's cold and wet to carry papers, and—"
"Yes, I know that," said Freddie. "But, why did you wish you were Billy Smith?"

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ALSO HAVE

William T. Haines, candidate for Governor State by about 3,000 Monday, and T. F. Haines defeated Lunt was on the Democratic side for re-election. Not only this, but four congressmen were Republicans. They ate 23 to 8 and a the house, so Haines is sure of the election. The United States Senator Obadiah G. pointed by Governor to fill the vacancy death of Senator Frye. This also endures the State officials, and the.

In the counties succeeded in retrieving two years ago, and they have not had while one that won election, this year majority.

The congressmen State are as follows:

First District—A. (Rep.), Portland, re-elected.
Second District—D. (Dem.), Lewiston, re-elected.
Third District—(Rep.), Skowhegan.
Fourth District—F. (Rep.), Dover, re-elected.
The vote in the as follows:

Auburn,
Augusta,
Bangor.

GOULD'S AD

The Academy opened 1912. Miss Pratt, A. Mr. Moore have returned. Miss Randall's long new pupils re-Emeline Robinson, Ruth Elliott, Dorothy McDowell, Helen Abbott, Gertrude Engelman, Ethel McKee, Florence Chapman, Lee Abbott, Henry Hamlin, Roy Blake, Winfield Howe, James Hayford, Elth Spencey, John D. Eagle, Robert Farwell, Benjamin Harlow, George George, George Muntz, Fred King, Lewis Abbott, Walter Merrill, Paul Head, Frank K. Kedge, Harold Arno.

DEATH OF MRS.

The many Bethel Era House for were a of her death which home of her nephew, A of Portland, Tuesday the funeral services the Methodist church, afternoon at 1 o'clock.

NOTICE

The anniversary was held by Sunset Week Monday evening. Has will further action on behalf of Mrs. Fox.

President Taff has of his brother, Sam T. for Paul. He returned Sunday p. m. making about 4 hours.